## Amendment No. 1 to HB3476

## <u>Lynn</u> Signature of Sponsor

AMEND Senate Bill No. 3386

House Bill No. 3476\*

By deleting all the language after the enacting clause and by substituting instead the following:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, 4-5-320, is amended by adding the following language as new, appropriately designated subsections (e) and (f), respectively:

- (e) All proceedings by any state department, division or agency to impose contractual sanctions against an entity licensed and regulated by same state department, division or agency, whereby such sanctions would substantially affect the ability of the entity to exercise the rights and privileges granted by its license, regardless of whether the entity is a contractor with or provider for any unit of Tennessee state government, shall be conducted in accordance with this chapter. The proceedings shall include, but not be limited to, notice and an opportunity for a hearing before an administrative law judge who shall issue an initial order.
- (f) No licensed entity shall be required, as a condition of contracting with the same department or agency of Tennessee state government that issues and regulates its license, to waive, forfeit or relinquish any procedural due process right conferred by its license or any other right under federal, state or local law.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming law, the public welfare requiring

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